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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR RENEWAL OF A STANDARD LEASE

DATE: June 6, 2016

TO: Riparians landowners within 1,000 ft. of proposed aquaculture lease site, Town of Damariscotta, Attn: Paul Bryant, Harbormaster, and General & Case Specific Mailing Lists

The Department of Marine Resources is considering an application filed by Pemaquid Oyster Company, Inc. for renewal of an aquaculture lease, DAM GL3, located off Goose Ledge, Damariscotta River, Damariscotta, Lincoln County, Maine, for the purposes of cultivating American/Eastern oysters and European oysters using bottom culture techniques.

As required by 12 M.R.S. §6072(12), if you are receiving this notice by e-mail, copies of the application, site map, and public notice are attached. If you are receiving this notice by mail, copies of the notice and site map are enclosed. To view a copy of the application, please go to our website at www.maine.gov/dmr/aquaculture/index.html and following the "pending lease applications" link. For paper copies, please contact us as shown below.

Christopher Davis of Pemaquid Oyster Company, Inc. has asked us to encourage you to contact him directly to discuss any questions or concerns you may have about the proposed future operation of this lease. His contact information is:

Christopher Davis
Pemaquid Oyster Company, Inc.
P.O. Box 302
Waldoboro, ME 04572
(207) 832-1075 cdavis@midcoast.com

As part of the renewal process, we offer the public a 30-day period within which you may submit written comments on this proposed renewal or request a public hearing. A hearing is not mandatory for lease renewals unless the Department receives five (5) or more written requests from interested persons before the end of the 30-day comment period.

Written comments or requests for a hearing regarding this application must be received by the Department no later than **July 15, 2016**. Send them to:

Maine Department of Marine Resources
Attn: Aquaculture Administrator
21 State House Station
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If you have questions, please contact Cindy L. Burke, Paralegal Assistant, at 624-6567 or cindy.l.burke@maine.gov.

E-mail attachments: Public Notice, and Site Map

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